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In Reply Refer To: 19-09541-F

Mr. Jasper Craven  
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Dear Mr. Craven:

This letter acknowledges receipt of your June 2, 2019, request under the Freedom of Information Act (FOIA), 5 U.S.C. § 552, to the VA National Acquisition Center for a copy of

"draft and final contracts for the recently inked partnerships with Janssen Pharmaceuticals/Johnson + Johnson for Spravata. Timeframe of request is January 1, 2019 to present day."

Your FOIA request was received in my office on July 18, 2019.

Your FOIA request was assigned tracking number **19-09541-F**. Please include tracking number in all future communications concerning this FOIA request.

In addition, we have placed your request in the complex processing category.

We will search for records responsive to your FOIA request that were gathered or created by the VA National Acquisition Center on or before June 2, 2019. When we have completed our search for records responsive to your FOIA request, we will send you another letter telling you the results of that search and our next step in processing your request.

If you have any questions about your request, you may contact me at 708-786-7804 or [kristen.ellis@va.gov](mailto:kristen.ellis@va.gov).

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Kristen M. Ellis", is written over the typed name.

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